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In re Application of:

ZE'EV DRORI

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For: ELECTRONICALLY PROGRAMMABLE
REMOTE CONTROL ACCESS SYSTEM

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) Art Unit 2609

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) Examiner: Weldon, U.

DECLARATION OF ZE'EV DRORI

I, Ze'ev Drori, hereby state the following:


1. I am the inventor of the invention of the subject patent application, which has been assigned to Clifford Electronics, Inc. ("Clifford").

2. The invention was made in the United States prior to May 14, 1987. In fact, prior to May 14, 1987, an auto security system that embodied the invention, the Clifford IntelliGuard 500, had already been in volume production at Clifford as evidenced by the circuit schematics attached to Mr. Mac Amirpoor's Declaration, and the purchase order (attached as Exhibit A with cost data blanked out) for the IntelliGuard 500 microprocessors. Clifford would not have placed such a large order of microprocessors unless the commercial design had been thoroughly tested and found to work flawlessly. As further evidence that the invention was completed before May 14, 1987, please refer to Mr. Mac Amirpoor's Declaration.

3. The market acceptance of the IntelliGuard 500 with its electronically programmable remote control was outstanding. This success led Clifford to introduce the electronically programmable remote control features on all of its new remote control systems. Since the introduction of the IntelliGuard 500 the company has sold over a million remote control auto security systems with the electronically programmable remote control feature of this invention.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Dated: 5.26.95


Ze'ev Drori